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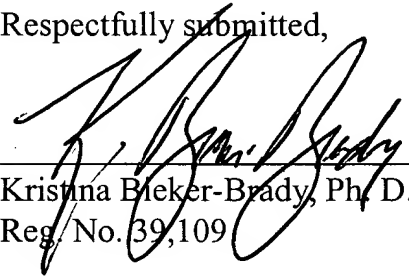
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Hengartner and Horvits reference, replace "Horvits" with  
--Horvitz--.

Column 4,

Line 36, replace "fro" with --for--; and

Line 55, replace "nuclec" with --nucleic--; and

Line 57, replace "and and encodes" with --and encodes--.

Column 5,

Line 21, replace "C. elegans-9" with --C. elegans ced-9--;  
and

Line 24, replace "(SEQ ID NO:2," with --(SEQ ID NO:2),--.

Column 6, line 10, replace "soome" with --some--.

Column 7, line 33, replace "n1377" with --n3377--.

Column 8, line 18, after "activity of" insert --ced-9--.

Column 11, line 7, after "with a" delete --,--.

Column 16,

Line 35, replace "dpv-18" with --dpy-18--; and

Line 42, replace "Table ic" with --Table 1c--.

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Column 18, line 15, replace "unc-50f(e306)" with --unc-50(e306)--.

Column 21,

Line 9, replace "numaber" with --number--; and

Line 66, replace "ced-3 of" with --ced-3 or--.

Column 22, line 50, replace "Figure loc" with --Figure 10c--.

Column 23,

Line 29, replace "aC1" with --qC1--; and

Line 47, replace "ExoIII-Si" with --ExoIII-S1--.

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